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Sir:

COMMUNICATION AFTER ALLOWANCE PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.312

In resp	onse to the Notice of Allowance dated August 26, 2003, reconsideration is		
respectfully requested in view of the amendments and/or remarks as indicated below:			
	Amendments to the Specification begin on page of this paper.		
	Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page of this paper.		
	Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 2 of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.		
\boxtimes	Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.		

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Amendments to the Drawings

The attached sheet(s) of drawings includes changes to the margins of Fig(s) 1, 2 and 3. The sheet(s), which includes Fig(s) 1, 2 and 3, replaces the original sheet(s) including Fig(s) 1, 2 and 3.

Attachment: Replacement Sheet(s) 1. 2 and 3

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER ACCOMPANYING AMENDMENT AFTER **ALLOWANCE PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.312**

Please make the amendments shown in the attached papers in this application in the:			
		abstract.	
		specification.	
	\boxtimes	drawings.	
		claims.	
\boxtimes		his Amendment is needed for proper disclosure or protection of the invention and equires no substantial amount of additional work on the part of the PTO.	
	This Amendment affects the disclosure or scope of a claim. The attached Amendment sets forth the reasons why the Amendment is needed, why the proposed amended or new claims require no additional search or examination, why the claims are patentable, and why they were not earlier presented.		
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is paid separately herewith.

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